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# NIGHT EXTRA

PRICE TWO CENTS

## SON CONFINED TO MRS. BRINES, POLICE BELIEVE

Detectives Think Woman Collapsed on Hearing Youth Had Killed Drewes

## MOTHER GOES TO HOSPITAL IN SOUTHERN PART OF CITY

Both Visited Home of John R. Wiggins, Uncle of Accused Student

## FUGITIVE LEFT WEDNESDAY

Abandoned Motorcar and May Be Trying to Enter Marine Corps

## Description of Brines, Sought as Drewes' Slayer

Age—Twenty years. Height—Five feet six inches. Weight—One hundred and forty pounds. Hair—Chestnut brown. Eyes—Brown. Face—Round with ruddy complexion. Lips thick and slightly protruding. When last seen had small mustache, waxed at ends.

William P. Brines, the Penn sophomore who is being sought on a warrant charging him with the murder of Elmer C. Drewes, of Philadelphia, Dartmouth senior, is believed by the police to have confessed to his mother that he had killed the student.

## Brines Left Wednesday

Mrs. Brines went to the hospital from the home of John R. Wiggins, 40 East Walnut lane, Germantown, an uncle and guardian of Brines, where she stayed until yesterday. The police say he was on his way to the hospital last night, leaving Wednesday. At noon today Mr. Wiggins called at the hospital to comfort his sister. A detective accompanied him when he visited the sick room.

## Not Far From City

The police do not think he can have gone far from Philadelphia, as there is certain information he was here yesterday.

The police are watching the home of Wiggins at Atlantic city, 44 South Raleigh avenue, on the chance that Brines may go there for refuge. No news was received when this house was called today on the Wiggins. Later it was found that the place was closed.

In an effort to learn more about Brines, his habits and associates, his friends at the University of Pennsylvania have been questioned by the police.

It is difficult to learn much about the antecedents of the Pennsylvania sophomore. He entered the West Philadelphia High School, where he and Drewes became acquainted, in September, 1914.

He is said to have done good work there until the Christmas season of 1916, when he broke his leg in a motorcycle accident. He was out of school some time after this. Some of his friends say he never quite himself after the accident. He remained in school until September, 1917.

Brines was not graduated from West Philadelphia High School. He entered the Marine Corps and served during the war. His war record has not been learned in detail. He entered Penn in the regular course in the Towne Scientific School.

Not very much is known about Brines' college work. His professors say he was a good student. Apparently he had no intimate friends on the campus and was not a member of any fraternity or college organization.

Two Were Fast Friends  
Drewes and Brines were fast friends from the time they went to high school together. Drewes was employed during the summer by the National Map-Making Co. and gave Brines a job. Brines frequently was at the Drewes home, taking a meal there now and then and frequently staying over night. Drewes' family thought the young man was "fascinating," according to close friends.

The Drewes family has been instructed by the police to do nothing concerning the friendship of Drewes and Brines. It is known, however, that the two boys left together Saturday to look after the car which Drewes came from Dartmouth College, where he was in his senior year, to purchase for use as a car.

It is known also that the police were eager to have Brines or a motorist who was home after the murder, and for the purpose asked Mrs. Drewes to get a touch with Mrs. Brines and ask her to bring her son over.

Mrs. Drewes called Mrs. Brines on the phone Monday and asked her to come to the home of Brines and see if she could talk over the matter.

## MURDER CAR AND MAN ACCUSED OF KILLING STUDENT



## PATROLMAN SHOT BY BANDIT GANG

Officer Is Probably Fatally Wounded When He Tries to Assist Motorist

## ONE IS HIT BY BULLET

Bandit gangs caused a reign of terror in the central and northwestern and southwestern sections of the city overnight, shooting and probably fatally wounding a policeman, holding up four men and three women and being heard off while holding up a taxicab driver.

In another clash with three young alleged hold-up men a policeman accidentally shot one of them in front of 220 North Darien street, 3:45 o'clock this morning.

The victim is Charles Hiron, eight-year-old, who gave his address as 729 Race street. He is in the Haberman Hospital with a flesh wound in the thigh.

Hiron's companions escaped. An unknown man ran up to Policeman Gilligan, of the Eleventh and Winter streets station, at 3:30 o'clock and excitedly informed him that three "stick up" men were at Ninth and Vine streets. Gilligan accompanied the stranger and on the way met Policeman Barrett.

They were just in time to see the three men hurrying down Vine street. One of them separated from his companions and got away. The other two continued over Spring street to 220 North Darien street, the address of A. Hiron. They were trying to break down the door when the policeman arrived.

Policeman Barrett drew his revolver and shot to scare the pair, he said. Instead the bullet glanced up and hit Hiron in the thigh. His companion got into the house and escaped over the roof.

Five bandits, operating in an automobile, held up and robbed four men and three women at Twentieth street and Girard avenue at 1:35 o'clock this morning and an hour and a half later tried to hold up a taxicab driver at Eleventh and Spring Garden streets.

Motorcycle policemen surprised the bandits after they had ordered the taxicab driver, Peter Agnes, 5631 Apple street, to hand over his money.

Shots were fired by the police in the chase that followed. The taxicab driver's machine into high speed and dashed down Eleventh street to Wood, and then to Twelfth and Vine, where they escaped.

The men held up at Twentieth and Girard avenue while escorting three women home were David Scherlis, 853 North Forty-first street; Benjamin Wilkes, 2516 South Percy street; and Glasgow, 309 Pine street, and Benjamin Harper, Fifth and Balmbridge streets.

Scherlis today reported to the police that the bandits had army guns, a machine gun, a sawed-off shotgun and at least one of them wore an army shirt.

"The seven in our party were walking west on Girard avenue until a trouble came," said Scherlis. "When we got to Twentieth street three men got out of an automobile standing on the corner and ordered us to back up against the wall."

"One man sat in the machine at the wheel and another was a little distance off, apparently as a lookout."

"Get against that wall," commanded one of the hold-up men. "One of the men in our party and his girl ran away, but the rest of us obeyed. I turned over \$12 in cash and my watch and a chain on which I had some keys. I asked for the keys and the bandit said I could pull them off, and I did."

One Suspect Caught  
One of three alleged bandits was caught at Twenty-first and Wharton streets after a patrolman had fired several shots at the fugitives.

William C. Foote, 1232 South Bonall street, was going home about midnight when three men confronted him. One held a revolver to his head. Foote handed over \$5. The men ran and Foote yelled for help.

Patrolman McLoughlin, of the Twentieth and Federal streets station, heard the cry and saw the men running east on Wharton street. Two escaped. William Rosetti, Earp street above Seventh, was arrested.

Rosetti today was held without bail for a further hearing October 29 on suspicion of highway robbery.

Patrolman Is Shot  
Automobile bandits shot and probably fatally wounded a patrolman who tried to assist a motorist who was held up and shot at Twenty-fourth and Fairmount avenue.

Two men who ran to the hold-up were cowed by the leveled revolver of the bandit. When the hold-up men rode away in their automobile, the

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## MURDER CAR AND MAN ACCUSED OF KILLING STUDENT



## PATIENT IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Police Patrol on Way to Hospital Is Hit by Limousine—Four Are Hurt

## DRIVER HELD WITHOUT BAIL

A patient being rushed to the Germantown Hospital was killed and four men were injured, two seriously, when a police patrol and limousine collided at Queen lane and Greene street at 7:35 o'clock this morning.

The man killed was Alexander Di Simone, twenty-five years old, of 2921 Van Pelt street, employed on the Reading Railway. John McEntee and Frank Mahoney were buried from the patrol.

The driver in the picture is George Ancelet, a police chauffeur. Below is a picture of William P. Brines, missing student, who had the license for the car and is accused of the murder.

## JURY FINDS MRS. KENYON GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

Slayer of Dr. Tetlow Exonerated From Criminal Intent  
Norwich, Conn., Oct. 22.—(By A. P.)—Mrs. Mabel C. Kenyon today was found guilty of manslaughter in killing Dr. Herbert Tetlow.

The crime for which Mrs. Kenyon was convicted today was committed on June 11, in Dr. Tetlow's apartments in Pawtucket.

Three shots were fired, but only one took effect. The bullet which entered Dr. Tetlow's side proved fatal.

The reports of the revolver alarmed neighbors who summoned medical aid. As the physicians were entering the apartment they met Mrs. Kenyon coming out of the house, and she was detained. Later in her home, she admitted the pistol was in her hands when Dr. Tetlow was shot, but denied she fired the weapon.

She told the authorities she had been intimate with the doctor, but said she had never had a sexual intercourse with him on the night before the tragedy occurred. In explanation of her subsequent visit to his apartment, she said she had gone there and threatened to commit suicide, but that the doctor had tried to dissuade her from her purpose, and that the pistol was discharged while she was handing it to him.

## MAN FOUND UNCONSCIOUS FROM TAKING NARCOTICS

Hammonton Man Goes to Hospital and Cousin Is Held  
Found unconscious on the street last night from an overdose of narcotics, Nicholas Barreretta, twenty-two years old, Hammonton, N. J., died at 6:30 o'clock this morning in the Methodist Hospital.

Barreretta was found at Broad street and Moyamensing avenue by two detectives. They said Frank Rubeston, Reed street below Thirteenth, was trying to arouse him.

Rubeston was held today as a material witness for the coroner by Magistrate Dougherty in the Fifteenth street and Snyder avenue station. Police say he is a cousin of the dead man.

## HERMANN A. DENCKLA DIES

Broker and Society Man Victim of Heart Disease  
Hermann A. Denckla, broker, clubman and society man, died of heart disease early today in the Chestnut Hill Hospital. Mr. Denckla had been in the hospital several months.

Mr. Denckla, who was the son of the late S. Paul and Mary Williamson Denckla, had been a member of the Raquet Club for many years. He formerly lived at 208 Rex avenue, Chestnut Hill, but after his removal to the hospital his wife, Mrs. Edith B. Denckla, went to live at Norwood and Sunset avenues, Chestnut Hill. He was forty-nine years old.

In addition to Mrs. Denckla, he is survived by four children. They are Mrs. Francis Packard, Mrs. Leonard Cannon, of New York; C. Paul Denckla and Miss Pattie Denckla.

## When Knowledge Came

"As last he stood face to face with the big man himself. He looked into the steel gray eyes, but as he saw them he wondered if this man really was his superior. What would happen if they should ever meet on an equal plane? And that same night he began to find out."

And with the solving of his problem came the unfolding of a really thrilling story.

"West Wind Drift" George Barr McCutcheon's novel has not yet appeared in book form. Read the first installment in tomorrow's Evening Public Ledger

## \$25,000 Jewels Stolen from Mrs. A. J. A. Devereux

Oreland, Pa., Home of Social Leader and Heiress Robbed by "Boudoir Thief"—No Clue Left Behind

Loss Discovered Hours After Robber Entered Place—All Efforts to Trace Intruders Have Failed So Far

A diamond necklace, a pearl necklace and other jewels, valued between \$20,000 and \$25,000, were stolen from the home of Mrs. A. J. A. Devereux, where a "boudoir thief" took more than \$300,000 in jewels.

The robbery, discovered last Tuesday, was as mysterious as that committed recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McFadden, Villanova, where a "boudoir thief" took more than \$300,000 in jewels.

The stolen jewels, including a brooch and other valuables, had been in a bureau drawer in Mrs. Devereux's bedroom. They were last seen Monday.

There were no indications of forcible entry about the palatial home, Mrs. Devereux said she believed the jewels were valued at about \$20,000.

The robbery has not been reported to the police. Chief James Byrner, of the Greenfield township police, said today he had heard nothing of the robbery. His territory covers the Devereux home.

None of the servants in the Devereux home are under suspicion. About six domestics are employed in the house and four or five on the grounds.

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## LA FOLLETTE TAKES HAND IN DESPERATE WISCONSIN BATTLE

"Fighting Bob" Shows He Regards Contest Close by Taking Stump Himself

IN LIFELONG ATTACK ON PARTY REGULARITY

By CLINTON W. GILBERT Staff Correspondent Evening Public Ledger Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger Company.

Chicago, Oct. 22.—Senator La Follette, "Fighting Bob," took the stump in Milwaukee last night for his candidate, Thomson, in his attempt to defeat the re-election of Senator Lenroot. This is La Follette's first appearance on the stump in Wisconsin in eight years, which indicates how desperate a fight he has on his hands. He has, however, long been in ill health, but after a sojourn at the Mayo brothers' hospital in Rochester, Minn., he is now assured of fifteen more years of fighting.

He is an even more lonely and bitter figure than Senator Hiram Johnson and he is engaged with all his might in fighting the thing which Senator Harding is fighting to restore, namely party government. He defies the government of his own party in Thompson, seeking to defeat its legally nominated candidate for the Senate. He is stating this with his back to the wall. He has lost control of the Republican state committee.

Where formerly virtually every congressman from Wisconsin obeyed him, now all but one of the Republican candidates for Congress are either independent of him or opposed to him. At that he is dangerous. He may win both this fight and elect his candidate for governor, Blaine, whom most of the Republicans are holding, and his candidate for the Senate, Thompson.

Johnson Less Defiant  
Senator Johnson is fighting the same kind of a fight against party government, less courageously than La Follette. He is more careful of his regularity than the defiant senator from Wisconsin. He is openly trying to defeat Republican senators like Watson, in Indiana, and is giving only half support to Republican senators like Lenroot in Michigan and Illinois, where he has a large personal following. He is using the national campaign as a means of building up his own following. He declines the request of the national party organization to go into states like Illinois, where he is openly trying to defeat Cummins, or Missouri, in aid of Spencer, all of them Republican senators whose re-election is in doubt.

Destroy Party Government  
You have to go to Wisconsin to see what La Follette and Johnson stand for. La Follette is openly trying to destroy the party government which it is Senator Harding's aim to restore. There are no parties in Wisconsin. There is only the party of La Follette, and even that is always being tempted to merge itself in the crowd that runs after La Follette.

The Democratic party exists in Wisconsin only in the name. It is one of the many anti-La Follette groups. The Republican party is divided broadly into La Follette men and anti-La Follette men. The anti-La Follette men are divided again into the personal followers of Wilson for governor, Philipp and Lenroot. In addition, there are the racial and religious groups, impelled by the consequences of the great war in Europe, rather than by any domestic concern.

This works out oddly. The Republican candidate for governor, Blaine, stands with both feet upon the Non-Partisan League platform. And the Democratic candidate for governor, Philipp, stands with both feet upon the platform which attacks the Non-Partisan League platform upon which the Republican candidate for governor stands.

Other States Similar  
What is going on in Wisconsin is only a caricature of what is going on in several other states. Illinois is nearly as bad as Wisconsin with the Thompson personal following supreme and the down-staircase Republican party groups controlled by Smith and Small and McKinley and half a dozen others.

In Iowa, Republican party lines are badly broken by the presence of the radical party in West Virginia, by the mine labor leaders, whose candidate for governor may defeat the Republican candidate, and in the West generally where Tompkins, of the Non-Partisan League, is powerful in many states, and in California, where the majority of the Republican party is in the personal possession of the party.

Even in the national field big racial groups like the German and Irish cut more figure than ever before, and promise to do so as long as Europe is intimately concerned in European politics.

Harding Faces Task  
The support of Harding is held together, not so much by party sentiment as by the desire to get rid of the present administration at Washington and to express effectively dissatisfaction with the war and with the peace made by Wilson. Direct attacks are being made on men like La Follette and Johnson and the consequences of the great split of 1912 have tended to disintegrate party government.

The success or failure of the Harding administration will depend largely upon Harding's skill in uniting these discordant elements and causing them to follow him in a single party having definite constructive policy. Either the country gets back to the kind of party government that preceded 1912, or else the chaos which one finds in Wisconsin is likely to appear everywhere. Harding has a big job to restore party government, and it is one which the Johnsons, La Follettes and Thompkins and Conkleys will make as difficult for him as possible. Much is going to depend upon Fighting Bob's present big battle in Wisconsin.

## COX CHARGES PLOT IN TRENTON SPEECH

Asks for "Mandate" of Ballots to Overturn "Conspiracy" Against League

Comptroller Williams' Criticisms Evoke Protest From Convention

By the Associated Press  
Trenton, Oct. 22.—A one-day campaign in New Jersey was opened here by Governor Cox with a noon theatre meeting at which he asked for a "mandate" of ballots to "overturn the great conspiracy in all the ages." This, he said, was against world peace proposed under the League of Nations.

The league, Governor Cox said, was "as inspired by God as much as the Declaration of Independence itself."

Like other recent audiences of the governor, the Trenton crowd today listened to the name of Senator Lodge when the speaker repeated his charges of conspiracy by means of "round robin."

Governor Cox named Senators Brandegee, of Connecticut, and Moses, of New Hampshire; Smoot, of Utah, and Watson, of Indiana, as signers of the "round robin" who would, he predicted, "stay home" as a result of the election.

"And Senator Harding, he'll stay home, too, I believe," the governor added, and the crowd laughed and cheered.

Fight for Babies of Future  
When a baby's crying competed with the governor's voice, he interjected to the mother:

"That baby's crying doesn't bother me at all. Whenever I see a baby I grow stronger in this fight, for it's a fight for the babies of future generations, to save them from the horrors of war."

Governor Cox was introduced by Governor Edwards as "the man who makes the wobbler wobble."

"All we need in this state," said Governor Edwards, "is one more wobbler to wobble him over, for the Republican candidate is the best and the greatest asset the Democratic party ever had. If they don't chain him up, you'll never be able to count Governor Cox's majority in this state."

Parade to Theatre  
Preceding Governor Cox's speech there was an address by Mayor Browne, of Princeton, Democratic candidate for Congress, and a parade through the city to his theatre audience. The candidate was met by Governor Edwards, Robert H. Fuhs, Democratic national committee chairman; Charles F. McDonald, state chairman; Mayor Donnelly, of Trenton, and other party leaders.

Governor Cox motored ten miles from here to Princeton, accompanied by long caravan of automobiles. At Princeton, Dr. Paul Van Dyke, former American minister to the Netherlands, was to preside at Governor Cox's meeting.

Green Street Home Robbed  
In a robbery at the dwelling of Mrs. William H. John, of 2002 Green street, an oil painting, valued at \$50, was stolen.

TURKS SHELL U. S. COLLEGE  
Auntk, Asia Minor, Oct. 22.—The Turkish Nationalists who have been fighting the French in this region shell the American College here yesterday.